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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

SIR:


Responsive to the restriction requirement in the office action of February 9, 2006, applicants hereby elect Species I for prosecution, in the event that no generic claim is finally held to be allowable. Claims 1-5 read on Species I. Claim 1 is also believed to be generic to Species II.

Early action on the merits is requested.

If any fees or charges are required at this time in connection with the application, it may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

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